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SUBJECT: DRAFT SC RESOLUTION ON MOZAMBIQUE COMPLAINT

1. GROUP OF 5 MET INFORMALLY TO DISCUSS AFRICAN DRAFT.
GENERAL CONSENSUS WAS THAT TEXT NOT AS BAD AS IT MIGHT
HAVE BEEN BUT THAT THERE WERE FOUR MAIN PROBLEM AREAS.

2. PROBLEM AREAS WERE IDENTIFIED AS (1)OPERATIVE PARA 9
WITH ITS APPARENT BLESSING OF OUTSIDE MILITARY ASSISTANCE,
(2)HANDLING OF "LEGITIMACY OF THE STRUGGLES" (6TH PREAM-
BULAR PARA AND 5TH AND 6TH OPERATIVE PARAS); (3)DISTORTED
REFERENCE TO MAPUTO DECLARATION (15TH PREAMBULAR PARA);
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(4)STRENGTH OF FINGER POINTING AT SOUTH AFRICA (13TH
PREAMBULAR PARA AND 2ND OPERATIVE PARA).

3. OPERATIVE PARA 9 APPEARED TO OFFER THE MOST
DIFFICULT IMPLICATIONS. GROUP'S PRELIMINARY DISCUSSION
LEANED TOWARD LANGUAGE ON FOLLOWING LINES: "RECALLS
THE INHERENT RIGHT OF MOZAMBIQUE IN THE EXERCISE OF

ITS SOVEREIGNTY, TO SEEK AND RECEIVE ASSISTANCE IN ORDER TO STRENGTHEN ITS DEFENSE CAPABILITY AND THEREBY SAFEGUARD TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY."

4. TEXT OF WORKING PAPER FOLLOWS:

QUOTE THE SECURITY COUNCIL.

1. TAKING NOTE OF THE TELEGRAM DATED JUNE 18, 1977 BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL CONTAINED IN DOCUMENT S/12350 AND ADD. 1,

2. HAVING HEARD THE STATEMENT BY H.E. MARCELINO DOS SANTOS, MEMBER OF THE PERMANENT POLITICAL COMMITTEE OF FRELIMO AND MINISTER FOR DEVELOPMENT AND ECONOMIC PLANNING OF MOZAMBIQUE, CONCERNING THE RECENT ACTS OF AGGRESSION AGAINST MOZAMBIQUE COMMITTED BY THE ILLEGAL MINORITY RACIST REGIME OF SOUTHERN RHODESIA,

3. TAKING NOTE OF THE RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE ORGANISATION OF AFRICAN UNITY COUNCIL OF MINISTERS AT ITS 29TH ORDINARY SESSION IN LIBREVILLE (GABON) (DOCUMENT NO. S/12352),

4. INDIGNANT AT THE SYSTEMATIC ACTS OF AGGRESSION COMMITTED BY THE ILLEGAL REGIME OF SOUTHERN RHODESIA AGAINST THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE AND THE RESULTING LOSS OF LIFE AND CONFIDENTIAL

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DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY,

5. GRAVELY CONCERNED AT THE RAPIDLY DETERIORATING SITUATION IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA AS A RESULT OF THE CONTINUED EXISTENCE OF THE ILLEGAL REGIME,

6. REAFFIRMING THE INALIENABLE RIGHTS OF THE PEOPLE OF ZIMBABWE TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH A GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1514 (XV) AND THE LEGITIMACY OF THEIR STRUGGLE TO SECURE THE ENJOYMENT OF SUCH RIGHTS AS SET FORTH IN THE CHARTER,

7. RECALLING ITS RESOLUTION 232 (1966) IN WHICH IT DETERMINED THE SITUATION OF SOUTHERN RHODESIA CONSTITUTED A THREAT TO INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY,

8. COGNIZANT OF THE FACT THAT THE RECENT ACTS OF AGGRESSION PERPETRATED BY THE ILLEGAL REGIME AGAINST THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE TOGETHER WITH THAT REGIME'S CONSTANT ACTS OF AGGRESSION AND THREATS AGAINST THE SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF THE REPUBLICS OF BOTSWANA AND ZAMBIA CONSTITUTE A SERIOUS THREAT TO THE SECURITY AND

STABILITY OF THE REGION,

9. RECALLING ITS RESOLUTIONS ON SANCTIONS AGAINST THE ILLEGAL REGIME IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA AND IN PARTICULAR SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 253 (1968),

10. CONSCIOUS OF THE IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTION MADE BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE THROUGH ITS DECISION OF MARCH 3, 1976 TO CLOSE ITS BORDERS WITH SOUTHERN RHODESIA AND TO STRICTLY APPLY SANCTIONS AGAINST THE ILLEGAL REGIME IN CONFORMITY WITH UN RESOLUTIONS,

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11. DEEPLY CONCERNED THAT THE MEASURES APPROVED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL HAS SO FAR FAILED TO BRING TO AN END THE ILLEGAL REGIME AND CONVINCED THAT SANCTIONS CANNOT PUT AN END TO THAT REGIME UNLESS THEY ARE COMPREHENSIVE, MANDATORY AND STRICTLY SUPERVISED AND UNLESS MEASURES ARE TAKEN AGAINST STATES WHICH VIOLATE THEM,

12. RECALLING ITS RESOLUTION 386 (1976) OF MARCH 17,

13. EXPRESSES ITS PARTICULAR CONCERN AT THE CONTINUED VIOLATION OF SANCTIONS BY SOUTH AFRICA AND ITS SUPPORT OF THE ILLEGAL REGIME IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA,

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14. REAFFIRMING THE PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY OF THE UNITED KINGDOM AS THE ADMINISTERING POWER TO TAKE ALL EFFECTIVE MEASURES TO BRING TO AN END THE ILLEGAL REGIME IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RELEVANT UN RESOLUTIONS,

15. RECALLING THE RELEVANT PROVISIONS OF THE MAPUTO DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF THE PEOPLE OF ZIMBABWE AND NAMIBIA AND PARTICULARLY THOSE PROVISIONS WHICH CALL FOR INTENSIFIED ASSISTANCE TO THE LIBERATION STRUGGLE IN ZIMBABWE AS WELL AS ASSISTANCE TO THOSE FRONT LINE STATES VICTIMS OF ACTS OF AGGRESSION BY THE RACIST MINORITY REGIMES,

16. AFFIRMING THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY MEASURES TO SAFEGUARD ITS SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY,

1. STRONGLY CONDEMNS THE ILLEGAL RACIST MINORITY REGIME IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA FOR ITS RECENT ACTS OF AGGRESSION AGAINST THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE;

2. CONDEMNS SOUTH AFRICA FOR ITS CONTINUED SUPPORT OF THE ILLEGAL REGIME IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA IN CONTRAVENTION OF SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS ON SANCTIONS AGAINST THE REGIME IN SALISBURY;

3. SOLEMNLY DECLARES THAT THESE ACTS OF AGGRESSION AS WELL AS THE REPEATED ATTACKS AND THREATS AGAINST THE REPUBLICS OF ZAMBIA AND BOTSWANA BY THE ILLEGAL REGIME IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA CONSTITUTE A SERIOUS AGGRAVATION OF THE SITUATION IN THE AREA,

4. REAFFIRMS THE CONTINUED EXISTENCE OF THE ILLEGAL REGIME IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA IS A SOURCE OF INSECURITY AND INSTABILITY
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IN THE REGION AND CONSTITUTES A SERIOUS THREAT TO INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY,

5. REAFFIRMS THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE OF ZIMBABWE TO SELF-

DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1514(XV), AND URGES ALL STATES TO INTENSIFY ASSISTANCE TO THE PEOPLE OF ZIMBABWE AND THEIR NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT IN THEIR STRUGGLE TO ACHIEVE THAT OBJECTIVE,

6. COMMENDS THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE FOR ITS SCRUPULOUS OBSERVANCE OF SANCTIONS AGAINST THE ILLEGAL REGIME IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA AND ITS STEADFAST SUPPORT TO THE PEOPLE OF ZIMBABWE IN THEIR LEGITIMATE STRUGGLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS

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7. DEMANDS THAT THE SOVEREIGNTY AND NATIONAL INTEGRITY OF MOZAMBIQUE BE SCRUPULOUSLY RESPECTED;

8. DEMANDS THAT ALL STATES REFRAIN FROM PROVIDING ANY SUPPORT OVERT OR COVERT - TO THE ILLEGAL REGIME IN SOUTHERN RHODESIA AND IN PARTICULAR DEMANDS THAT SOUTH AFRICA ADHERES FULLY TO SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS AND THUS CEASE FROM ANY CO-

OPERATION OR COLLABORATION WITH ILLEGAL REGIME IN SALISBURY
IN VIOLATION OF THE COUNCIL'S DECISIONS;

9. REQUESTS ALL STATES TO GIVE IMMEDIATE AND SUBSTANTIAL
PRACTI ASSISTANCE TO ENABLE THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S
REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE TO STRENGTHEN ITS DEFENCE CAPABILITY
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IN ORDER TO EFFECTIVELY SAFEGUARD ITS SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRI-
TORIAL INTEGRITY;

10. REQUESTS ALL STATES, REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND OTHER
APPROPRIATE INTER-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS TO PROVIDE
FINANCIAL, TECHNICAL AND MATERIAL ASSISTANCE TO MOZAMBIQUE
IN ORDER TO ENABLE HER TO OVERCOME THE SEVERE ECONOMIC LOSS
AND DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY BROUGHT ABOUT BY THE ACTS OF
AGGRESSION COMMITTED BY THE ILLEGAL REGIME AND TO REINFORCE
MOZAMBIQUE'S CAPACITY TO IMPLEMENT UNITED NATIONS DECISIONS
IN SUPPORT OF THE STRUGGLE AGAINST THE ILLEGAL REGIME IN
SOUTHERN RHODESIA;

11. REQUESTS THE UNITED NATIONS AND ITS ORGANIZATIONS AND PRO-
GRAMMES CONCERNED, INCLUDING THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL,
THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS,
THE WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME, THE UNITED NATIONS CHILDREN
FUND, THE INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT,
THE UNITED NATIONS HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEES, THE UNITED
NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION,
THE UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT, THE
UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME AND THE WORLD HEALTH
ORGANIZATION TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO MOZAMBIQUE ON A PRIORITY
BASIS IN IMPLEMENTATION OF THE REQUEST CONTAINED IN OPERATIVE
PARAGRAPH 10 ABOVE;

12. CALLS UPON ALL STATES TO STRICTLY IMPLEMENT SECURITY
COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS ON SANCTIONS AND REQUESTS THE SECURITY
COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED IN PURSUANCE OF RESOLUTION
253(1968) CONCERNING THE QUESTION OF SOUTHERN RHODESIA TO
EXAMINE AS A MATTER OF PRIORITY FURTHER EFFECTIVE MEASURES
TO TIGHTEN THE SCOPE OF SANCTIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 41
OF THE CHARTER AND URGENTLY SUBMITS ITS APPROPRIATE
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RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE COUNCIL;

13. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO CO-ORDINATE THE

EFFORTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM AND TO ORGANIZE
IMMEDIATELY AN EFFECTIVE PROGRAMME OF INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE
TO MOZAMBIQUE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF OPERATIVE
PARAGRAPHS 10 AND 11 ABOVE;

14. DECIDES TO REMAIN ACTIVELY SEIZED OF THE MATTER.
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